

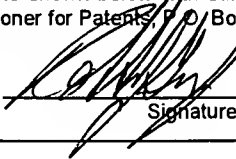


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EXAMINER:

G. YU

ART UNIT: 1617

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 22313

March 23, 2004

AMENDMENT B

Sir:

The Office Action dated September 24, 2003 from Examiner G. Yu of Art Unit 1617 has been received and reviewed. The following is in response thereto.